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Administrative instruction amending administrative instruction ST/AI/1997/6

Mission subsistence allowance

1. Pursuant to section 4.2 of Secretary-General's bulletin ST/SGB/1997/1 and for the purpose of implementing General Assembly resolution 59/268 of 23 December 2004, which approved the implementation of paternity leave throughout the common system, the Under-Secretary-General for Management amends administrative instruction ST/AI/1997/6, entitled "Mission subsistence allowance", as follows:

Section 5.1 (d), governing the payment of mission subsistence allowance, is replaced by the following text:

"5.1 Mission subsistence allowance is payable from the date of arrival at the duty station until the end of the mission assignment, i.e., for the period spent on mission-related service, in the following cases:

...

"(d) For sick leave, maternity or paternity leave, subject to the conditions specified in sections 7.2 and 8."

2. The title of section 8 is revised to read "Payment of mission subsistence allowance while on sick leave, maternity leave or paternity leave" and section 8.1 is replaced by the following text:

"8.1 Mission subsistence allowance shall be payable when a staff member is on sick leave, maternity or paternity leave within the mission area."

3. The present instruction shall enter into force on 1 June 2005.

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